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For: LAMINATED RETARDATION LAYER, IT'S FABRICATION PROCESS, AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY INCORPORATING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction/Species Election Requirement mailed October 6, 2006, applicant elects Species IB, claim 3 and generic claims 1, 9 and 10 readable thereon.

Applicant elects with traverse, in that it is submitted that the searches and examination would be similar, so it is believed that the claims should be examined together.

Please contact applicant's attorney at 503-224-0115 if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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